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**SOUTH PIMA REGIONAL PARTNERSHIP COUNCIL AND
NORTH PIMA PARTNERSHIP COUNCIL
CHILD CARE RECRUITMENT
REQUEST FOR GRANT APPLICATION
FTF-MULTI-10-0078-00
FACT SHEET**

WHAT IS THE SOUTH PIMA AND NORTH PIMA REGIONAL PARTNERSHIP COUNCILS CHILD CARE RECRUITMENT RFGA?

The South Pima and North Pima Regional Partnership Councils have identified the need to recruit and provide ongoing support to early care and education providers in areas of the regions that most need child care. In North Pima, the focus will be on recruiting currently unregulated homes to become licensed or certified. In South Pima, the focus will be on recruiting currently unregulated homes to become licensed or certified, as well as recruiting center-based providers.

WHAT IS THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF FUNDING AVAILABLE?

Total funds available are approximately \$430,000 for programs serving the South Pima regional area and approximately \$100,000 for program serving the North Pima regional area in this Request for Grant Application with the expectation that one or multiple awards may be made. Contract renewal will be contingent upon satisfactory contract performance, evaluation and availability of funds.

The anticipated contract period for any resultant grant will be September 1, 2009 - to June 30, 2010.

PROPOSED TIMELINE FOR THE GRANT MAKING PROCESS

April 8, 2009	RFGA available on-line
April 27, 2009	Pre-application Conference Kino Community Center, 1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. at 2805 E. Ajo Way, Tucson, AZ 85713
May 21, 2009	Applications due to the location listed in the RFGA by 3:00 p.m.
September 1, 2009	Anticipated grant awards made

HOW TO GET A COPY OF THE RFGA

Please visit the First Things First web site on or after April 8, 2009: <http://www.azftf.gov/>

QUESTIONS?

All questions must be submitted in writing and include FTF-MULTI-10-0078-00 in the subject line of the email or on the cover sheet of the fax.

Questions should be submitted to the Grants and Contracts Procurement Specialist via email at grants@azftf.gov or via fax at (602) 265-0009.